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September 19, 2011

Mr. Daron Haddock  
Permit Supervisor  
Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining  
Coal Regulatory Program  
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

**RE: Temporary Cessation of Operations  
Covol Engineered Fuels, LC  
Mine Permit No. C/007/0045**

Dear Mr. Haddock:

In accordance with UAC R645-301-515.320, Covol Engineered Fuels, LC (Covol) is notifying the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining (UDOGM) of a temporary cessation of operations at its Wellington Dry Coal Cleaning Facility that operates under Mine Permit No. C/007/0045. The last day of operations was August 31, 2011 and Covol expects the temporary cessation of operations to extend beyond 30 days.

The number of acres that have been affected in the permit area prior to this temporary cessation is 30 acres. No reclamation of the permit area has been performed prior to, or will be performed during, the temporary cessation of operations since the plant is expected to operate again once a new feed source has been secured. Environmental monitoring and maintenance of the plant and sediment basins will continue during the temporary cessation of operations.

If you have any questions, please call me at (435) 613-1631.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Kyle Edwards".

Kyle Edwards  
Plant Manager

**COVOL ENGINEERED FUELS, LLC**  
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C/007/045 Incoming  
cc: Pete  
Steve C.